D.B. CIVIL WRIT PETITION(PIL)NO.5515/2006

Prakash Chand Arya & Anr.
Vs.
U.O.I. & Anr.

Date of Order :: 10-10-2006

HON'BLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE SHRI S.N.JHA
HON'BLE SHRI JUSTICE MOHAMMAD RAFIQ

Shri K.L. Jasmatiya, for the petitioners.

This writ petition has been filed as a public interest litigation seeking direction upon the North-Western Railway through General Manager (operations) Jaipur to provide stoppage of Jodhpur-Hawarah Express Train Nos.2307 and 2308 at Kuchaman city. It is said that stoppage was provided for six months on experimental basis but the same was discontinued thereafter.

While exercising jurisdiction under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, this Court cannot consider the question of desirability of stoppage of trains and issue direction in that regard. That involves commercial aspects and it is for the Railway Authorities to consider the same. It is open to the petitioners to make representation in respect of their grievance.

The writ petition is dismissed.

[MOHAMMAD RAFIQ],J. [S.N.JHA],CJ.

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